

TUESDAY MEN'S GROUP

The men's group meets each Tuesday from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. They are studying Immerse, The Reading Bible. This is open to any men of the community.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SHARE?

- Would you be willing to share a God-sighting that relates to one of the themes of the Lord's Prayer— brief (2 or 3 minutes— even just 2 or 3 sentences) at mid-week Lenten worship each Wednesday in March (6:30 p.m.)?
- **March 8—Lord's Prayer—Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done**
- **March 15—Lord's Prayer—Give us this day our daily bread**
- **March 22—Lord's Prayer—Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us**
- **March 29—Lord's Prayer—Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

If so, contact Pastor Janice.

USHERS & GREETERS ARE NEEDED

Ushers and greeters for the remainder of 2023 are needed. Please sign up on the sheet on the round table in the Welcome Area if you are able to help with this or contact Jackie and let her know if you are available.

SUMMER YOUTH CAMPS

The Youth Camp brochure for summer 2023 from Forest Springs Camp & Conference Center is available for viewing on the kiosk in the Welcome Area.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesday, March 7

Men's Group 8:30 am

Quilters 9am

Wednesday, March 8

24/7 Small Group Bible Study 5-6:30 pm

Ash Wednesday Worship 6:30 pm

Thursday, March 9-Sunday, March 12

VDC

Friday, March 10

Dartball Tournament 5 pm

Sunday, March 12

Sunday School 9 am

Worship 10:30 am



Don't forget to
Turn your clocks
ahead Saturday,
March 11!

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Youth Pastor Kay Knight

March 5, 2023

OPENING SONG

“HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD”

The splendor of a King, clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice

He wraps himself in light, and darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice, trembles at His voice

(Chorus) How great is our God, sing with me
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God

Age to age He stands, and time is in His hands
Beginning and the end, beginning and the end

The Godhead three in one, Father Spirit Son
The lion and the lamb, the lion and the lamb

(Chorus)

Name above all names, worthy of our praise
My heart will sing, how great is our God

You're the name above all names
You are worth of our praise
And my heart will sing, how great is our God
(Chorus 2X)

CALL TO WORSHIP

“CHANGE MY HEART, O GOD”

Chorus: Change my heart, O God.
Make it ever true.

Change my heart, O God.
May I be like you.

Sing 2x

You are the potter,
I am the clay;
mold me and make me,

this is what I pray.

Chorus

You are the potter,
I am the clay;
mold me and make me,
this is what I pray.

Chorus

THE APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS

Petitions are spoken, each ending:

Pastor: Lord, in your mercy; **People: Hear our prayer.**

HOLY COMMUNION

Words of Institution, Lord's Prayer, Communion Song

"RED LETTERS"

There I was on death row
Guilty in the first degree
Son of God hanging on a hill
Hell was my destiny

The crowd was shouting crucify
Could've come from
these lips of mine
The dirty shame was killing me
It would take a miracle
to wash me clean

Then I read the red letters
And the ground began to shake
The prison walls started falling
And I became a free man that day

Felt like lightning hit my veins
My dead heart began to beat
Breath of God filled my lungs
And the Holy Ghost awakened me
Yeah, the Holy Ghost awakened me

When I read the red letters
And the ground began to shake
The prison walls started falling
And I became a free man that day

For God so loved
the whole wide world
Sent His only Son to die for me
Arms spread wide for
the whole wide world
His arms spread wide
where mine should be
Jesus changed my destiny

Thank You, God, for red letters
When the ground began to shake
The grace of God started falling
And I became a free man that day
The prison walls started falling
And I am a free man today

"SANCTUARY"

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary
Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for you.

READING

Matthew 20:1-16 (NLT)

Pete Fannin, Lay Reader

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Pastor Kay Knight

MESSAGE

Pastor Janice Kuder

SONG OF RESPONSE & OFFERING

"WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS"

What a friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer.
Oh, what peace we often forfeit;
Oh, what needless pain we bear-
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged-
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness-
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge-
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do your friends despise, forsake you?
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
In his arms he'll take and shield you;
You will find a solace there.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, BENEDICTION & CLOSING SONG

"HE KNOWS MY NAME"

I have a Maker
He formed my heart
Before even time began
My life was in His hands

He knows my name
He knows my every thought
He sees each tear that falls
And hears me when I call

Lets all sing, I have a Father
I have a Father
He calls me His own
He'll never leave me
No matter where I go

He knows my name
I'm so glad I can say
He knows my every thought
He sees each tear that falls
And hears me when I call

He knows me, He knows my name
He knows my name
He knows my every thought
He sees each tear that falls
And hears me when I call

He knows your name
He knows your every thought
He sees all those tears that fall
And He'll hear you when you call